

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please delete the first full paragraph on page 5 of the specification, lines 3-6, and replace it with the following:

This purpose is obtained with an electric high voltage AC machine of the kind defined in the introductory portion of the description and having the characterizing features of at least one winding comprising at least one current-carrying conductor and a magnetically permeable, electric field confining covering surrounding the conductor; a first layer having semi-conducting properties surrounding the conductor, a solid insulating layer surrounding said first layer, and an outer layer having semi-conducting properties surrounding said insulating layer, and grounding means for connecting the neutral point of said winding in circuit to ground.

A marked up copy of the above is attached hereto under Exhibit B.